Sediment Management Standards Rule Revisions

June 14, 2012 9 AM – 1 PM EPA Headquarters, Seattle WA

EPA Attendees: Matt Szelag, Lisa Macchio, ???.

Ecology Attendees: <u>Toxics Cleanup Program</u>: Chance Asher, Dave Bradley, Michael Feldcamp; <u>Water Quality Program</u>: Cheryl Niemi, Melissa Gildersleeve; <u>WA Attorney Generals Office</u>: Ivy Anderson, Ron Lavigne

Welcome and Introductions Dave Bradley, (EPA?) 9:00 Purpose and goals of the meeting 9:10 Ecology/EPA staff 9:20 Discussion topics #1 and #2 – brief walk through of the issues Ecology/EPA staff and discussion of each question in handout: 1) SMS Part V: Promulgation under the Model Toxics Control Act, the Water Pollution Control Act, or both? 2) MTCA "Natural Background" clause versus EPA "Natural Conditions" policy. 10:50 Break 11:00 Discussion topics #3 and #4 – brief walk through of the issue Ecology/EPA staff and discussion of each question in handout: 3) TMDL process and 303(d) listings for water and sediment under the WPCA and SMS. 4) Endangered Species Act consultations: Separation of SMS sections for consultation with different timelines.

12:45 Wrap Up:

Chance Asher

High level summary of comments and conclusions Next steps: What needs further discussion and what is needed to prepare

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